

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION ASSESSMENT REPORT

Application Number:	DA2020/1303	
Responsible Officer: Kelsey Wilkes		
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot A DP 443867, 50 Bardo Road NEWPORT NSW 2106	
Proposed Development:	Subdivision of one lot into two lots including construction of an internal driveway	
Zoning:	R2 Low Density Residential	
Development Permissible:	Yes	
Existing Use Rights:	No	
Consent Authority:	Northern Beaches Council	
Land and Environment Court Action:	No	
Owner:	Paul Stuart Harrison Karin Christine Harrison	
Applicant:	Lovett Designs	
Application Lodged:	26/10/2020	

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Integrated Development:	No		
Designated Development:	No		
State Reporting Category:	Residential - Alterations and additions		
Notified:	02/11/2020 to 16/11/2020		
Advertised:	Not Advertised		
Submissions Received:	0		
Clause 4.6 Variation:	Nil		
Recommendation:	Approval		

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IN DETAIL

This application seeks consent for the subdivision of one (1) lot into two (2) and the construction of a driveway access to Lot 2.

Proposed Lot 1 - 923.9m² (782.8m² excluding right of carriageway and easement for services)

\$ 56,789.00

Proposed Lot 2 - 832m²

Estimated Cost of Works:

ASSESSMENT INTRODUCTION

The application has been assessed in accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and the associated Regulations. In this regard:



- An assessment report and recommendation has been prepared (the subject of this report) taking into account all relevant provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, and the associated regulations;
- A site inspection was conducted and consideration has been given to the impacts of the development upon the subject site and adjoining, surrounding and nearby properties;
- Notification to adjoining and surrounding properties, advertisement (where required) and referral to relevant internal and external bodies in accordance with the Act, Regulations and relevant Development Control Plan;
- A review and consideration of all submissions made by the public and community interest groups in relation to the application;
- A review and consideration of all documentation provided with the application (up to the time of determination);
- A review and consideration of all referral comments provided by the relevant Council Officers, State Government Authorities/Agencies and Federal Government Authorities/Agencies on the proposal.

SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT ISSUES

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - B2.2 Subdivision - Low Density Residential Areas Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - C4.7 Subdivision - Amenity and Design

SITE DESCRIPTION

Property Description:	Lot A DP 443867, 50 Bardo Road NEWPORT NSW 2106
Detailed Site Description:	The subject site consists of one (1) allotment located on the northern side of Bardo Road, Newport.
	The site is irregular in shape with a frontage of 21.945m along Bardo Road and a maximum depth of 60.96m. The site has a surveyed area of 1756m².
	The site is located within the R2 Low Density Residential zone and accommodates an existing single storey dwelling, in ground swimming pool and tennis court.
	The site falls gently from north to south (rear to front) by approximately 5 meters. The site is not identified as a geotechnical hazard area.
	Landscaping on site is characterised by native and non- native vegetation, small to medium shrubs and grass lawn.
	Detailed Description of Adjoining/Surrounding Development
	Adjoining and surrounding development is characterised by one and two storey residential dwellings, dual occupancies and residential flat buildings. The site is located approximately 500 meters form the Newport Commercial Centre.



Map:



SITE HISTORY

The land has been used for residential purposes for an extended period of time. A search of Council's records has revealed the following relevant history:

N0396/06

Development Application for alterations and additions to an existing dwelling Approved 20 September 2006

P0571/98

Building Approval for the construction of an inground reinforced concrete swimming pool Approved 29 July 1998

ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT ACT, 1979 (EPAA)

The relevant matters for consideration under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, are:

Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(i) – Provisions of any environmental planning instrument	See discussion on "Environmental Planning Instruments" in this report.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(ii) – Provisions of any draft environmental planning instrument	Draft State Environmental Planning Policy (Remediation of Land) seeks to replace the existing SEPP No. 55 (Remediation of Land). Public consultation on the draft policy was completed on 13 April 2018. The subject site has been used for residential purposes for an extended period of time. The proposed development retains the residential use of the site, and is not considered a contamination risk.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iii) – Provisions	Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan applies to this proposal.



Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
of any development control plan	
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iiia) – Provisions of any planning agreement	None applicable.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iv) – Provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 (EP&A Regulation 2000)	<u>Division 8A</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider "Prescribed conditions" of development consent. These matters have been addressed via a condition of consent.
	<u>Clause 50(1A)</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the submission of a design verification certificate from the building designer at lodgement of the development application. This clause is not relevant to this application.
	<u>Clauses 54 and 109</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 allow Council to request additional information. No additional information was requested in this case.
	<u>Clause 92</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider AS 2601 - 1991: The Demolition of Structures. This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
	<u>Clauses 93 and/or 94</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider the upgrading of a building (including fire safety upgrade of development). This clause is not relevant to this application.
	<u>Clause 98</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider insurance requirements under the Home Building Act 1989. This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
	<u>Clause 98</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider the provisions of the Building Code of Australia (BCA). This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
	<u>Clause 143A</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the submission of a design verification certificate from the building designer prior to the issue of a Construction Certificate. This clause is not relevant to this application.
Section 4.15 (1) (b) – the likely impacts of the development, including environmental impacts on the natural and built environment and social and economic impacts in	 (i) Environmental Impact The environmental impacts of the proposed development on the natural and built environment are addressed under the Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan section in this report.
the locality	(ii) Social Impact The proposed development will not have a detrimental social impact in the locality considering the character of the proposal.



Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
	(iii) Economic Impact The proposed development will not have a detrimental economic impact on the locality considering the nature of the existing and proposed land use.
Section 4.15 (1) (c) – the suitability of the site for the development	The site is considered suitable for the proposed development.
Section 4.15 (1) (d) – any submissions made in accordance with the EPA Act or EPA Regs	See discussion on "Notification & Submissions Received" in this report.
Section 4.15 (1) (e) – the public interest	No matters have arisen in this assessment that would justify the refusal of the application in the public interest.

EXISTING USE RIGHTS

Existing Use Rights are not applicable to this application.

BUSHFIRE PRONE LAND

The site is not classified as bush fire prone land.

NOTIFICATION & SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED

The subject development application has been publicly exhibited from 02/11/2020 to 16/11/2020 in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 and the relevant Development Control Plan.

As a result of the public exhibition of the application Council received no submissions.

REFERRALS

Internal Referral Body	Comments
Landscape Officer	The development application is for the propsoed internal access driveway and lot subdivision into two.
	Council's Landscape Referral is assessed against the Pittwater Local Environment Plan, and the following Pittwater 21 DCP Controls: • B4.22 Preservation of Trees and Bushland Vegetation • C1.1 Landscaping • C4.7 Subdivision - Amenity and Design • D10 Newport Locality
	The existing site is occupied by an existing dwelling fronting Bardo Road and a sere area occupied by a tennis court. The site and adjoining properties contains existing trees that are the subject of a arboricultural impact assessment. The site contains a mix of trees, palms and hedges.



Internal Referral Body	Comments	
	The proposed driveway construction results in the removal of 7 trees/palms, with two prescribed trees (ie. protected and requiring Council consent) included: 1 x Cabbage Tree Palm - T2 and 1 x Cheese Tree - T6. The other trees/palms are either exempt or assessed with low retention value in the arboricultural impact assessment.	
	All other existing trees/palms are proposed for retention and protection. Tree replacement is included in the Natural Environment Referral Response - Biodiversity, and these shall be installed at a minimum 75 litre container size.	
	Landscape Referral raise no objections, subject to conditions of consent for replacement tree planting and protection of existing trees/palms retained.	
NECC (Bushland and Biodiversity)	Council's Biodiversity Referral team have reviewed the application consistency against the relevant environmental legislation and controls, including:	
	Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016 (BC Act)	
	Pittwater Local Environmental Plan (PLEP) - 7.6 Biodiversity Protection	
	Pittwater Development Control Plan (PDCP) - B4.6 Wildlife Corridors	
	Subject to conditions the Biodiversity Referral team find the application to be consistent against relevant environmental controls.	
NECC (Development Engineering)	No Development Engineering objection subject to conditions.	

External Referral Body	Comments
	The proposal was referred to Ausgrid who provided a response stating that the proposal is acceptable subject to compliance with the relevant Ausgrid Network Standards and SafeWork NSW Codes of Practice. These recommendations will be included as a condition of consent.

ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING INSTRUMENTS (EPIs)*

All, Environmental Planning Instruments (SEPPs, REPs and LEPs), Development Controls Plans and Council Policies have been considered in the merit assessment of this application.

In this regard, whilst all provisions of each Environmental Planning Instruments (SEPPs, REPs and LEPs), Development Controls Plans and Council Policies have been considered in the assessment, many provisions contained within the document are not relevant or are enacting, definitions and operational provisions which the proposal is considered to be acceptable against.

As such, an assessment is provided against the controls relevant to the merit consideration of the



application hereunder.

State Environmental Planning Policies (SEPPs) and State Regional Environmental Plans (SREPs)

SEPP 55 - Remediation of Land

Clause 7 (1) (a) of SEPP 55 requires the Consent Authority to consider whether land is contaminated. Council records indicate that the subject site has been used for residential purposes for a significant period of time with no prior land uses. In this regard it is considered that the site poses no risk of contamination and therefore, no further consideration is required under Clause 7 (1) (b) and (c) of SEPP 55 and the land is considered to be suitable for the residential land use.

SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007

Ausgrid

Clause 45 of the SEPP requires the Consent Authority to consider any development application (or an application for modification of consent) for any development carried out:

- within or immediately adjacent to an easement for electricity purposes (whether or not the electricity infrastructure exists).
- immediately adjacent to an electricity substation.
- within 5.0m of an overhead power line.
- includes installation of a swimming pool any part of which is: within 30m of a structure supporting an overhead electricity transmission line and/or within 5.0m of an overhead electricity power line.

Comment:

The proposal was referred to Ausgrid who provided a response stating that the proposal is acceptable subject to compliance with the relevant Ausgrid Network Standards and SafeWork NSW Codes of Practice. These recommendations will be included as a condition of consent.

Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014

Is the development permissible?	Yes	
After consideration of the merits of the proposal, is the development consistent with:		
aims of the LEP?	Yes	
zone objectives of the LEP?	Yes	

Principal Development Standards

Standard	Requirement	Proposed	% Variation	Complies
Minimum subdivision lot size:	700m²	Lot 1: 782.8m ² (excluding easement)	N/A	Yes
		Lot 2: 832m ²	N/A	Yes



Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements
1.9A Suspension of covenants, agreements and instruments	Yes
2.6 Subdivision - consent requirements	Yes
4.1 Minimum subdivision lot size	Yes
5.10 Heritage conservation	Yes
7.1 Acid sulfate soils	Yes
7.2 Earthworks	Yes
7.6 Biodiversity protection	Yes
7.10 Essential services	Yes

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan

Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements	Consistency Aims/Objectives
A1.7 Considerations before consent is granted	Yes	Yes
A4.10 Newport Locality	Yes	Yes
B1.3 Heritage Conservation - General	Yes	Yes
B1.4 Aboriginal Heritage Significance	Yes	Yes
B2.2 Subdivision - Low Density Residential Areas	No	Yes
B3.6 Contaminated Land and Potentially Contaminated Land	Yes	Yes
B4.6 Wildlife Corridors	Yes	Yes
B5.13 Development on Waterfront Land	Yes	Yes
B6.1 Access driveways and Works on the Public Road Reserve	Yes	Yes
B6.2 Internal Driveways	Yes	Yes
B6.7 Transport and Traffic Management	Yes	Yes
B8.1 Construction and Demolition - Excavation and Landfill	Yes	Yes
B8.3 Construction and Demolition - Waste Minimisation	Yes	Yes
B8.5 Construction and Demolition - Works in the Public Domain	Yes	Yes
B8.6 Construction and Demolition - Traffic Management Plan	Yes	Yes
C1.7 Private Open Space	Yes	Yes
C4.1 Subdivision - Protection from Hazards	Yes	Yes
C4.2 Subdivision - Access Driveways and Off-Street Parking Facilities	Yes	Yes
C4.3 Subdivision - Transport and Traffic Management	Yes	Yes
C4.4 Subdivision - Public Roads, Footpath and Streetscape	Yes	Yes
C4.5 Subdivision - Utility Services	Yes	Yes
C4.6 Service and delivery vehicle access in subdivisions	Yes	Yes
C4.7 Subdivision - Amenity and Design	Yes	Yes



Clause		Consistency Aims/Objectives
C4.8 Subdivision - Landscaping on the Existing and proposed public road reserve frontage to subdivision lots	Yes	Yes
D10.1 Character as viewed from a public place	Yes	Yes
D10.3 Scenic protection - General	Yes	Yes

Detailed Assessment

B2.2 Subdivision - Low Density Residential Areas

Description of non-compliance

The control of this clause states that any lot (or lots) to be created by a subdivision of an existing lot (or lots) shall have a minimum lot depth of 27 metres.

Excluding the proposed right of carriageway and easement for services, proposed Lot 2 provides a varying Lot depth of between 18.86m and 22.86m, therefore failing to comply with the above-mentioned control.

With regard to the consideration for a variation, the development is considered against the underlying outcomes of the clause as follows:

Merit Consideration

Achieve the desired future character of the locality. (S)

Comment:

Notwithstanding the non-compliance outlined above, the proposal provides for the creation of one additional allotment which provides more than sufficient area (832m² as opposed to the minimum 700m²) and a regularity in order to accommodate the design criteria for subdivision as specified under Part C4 of the P21DCP. Lot 2 is largely sited over an existing tennis court an is unlikely to require the removal of significant and existing vegetation which exists around the perimeter of the site. The proposed lot also achieves size and access consistent with that in the surrounding area.

It is therefore considered that the desired future of the locality is achieved.

Maintenance of the existing environment. (En)

Comment:

As mentioned above, proposed Lot 2 is substantially sited over an existing tennis court and would therefore require minimum vegetation removal to site any future dwelling. A total of six (6) tree's will be removed from Lot 1 to site the right of carriageway however thisdoes not contribute to the non-compliant depth of proposed Lot 2 and is supported by Council's Landscape Officer.

Equitable preservation of views and vistas to and/or from public/private places. (S)

Comment:

This application is for subdivision and construction of a driveway only and it is therefore considered therefore considered equitable preservation of views and vistas to and/or from public/private places will be maintained. While any future dwelling will be subject to a separate development application, an



inspection of the subject site and surrounding streetscape has determined it is unlikely that any future dwelling will have an adverse or unreasonable impact upon view sharing.

The built form does not dominate the natural setting. (En)

Comment:

Any future dwelling will be subject to a separate development application and will be required to minimise visual bulk and scale through its design and achieve the desired future character of the locality. Notwithstanding the non-compliant depth, it is considered that this can be achieved to ensure built form does not dominate the natural setting.

Population density does not exceed the capacity of local and regional infrastructure and community services. (En, S, Ec)

Comment:

The proposed subdivision is within a low density residential zone and it is therefore considered the development will not contribute to a population density that exceeds the capacity of local and regional infrastructure and community services.

Population density does not exceed the capacity of local and regional transport facilities. (En, S, Ec)

Comment:

The proposed subdivision is within a low density residential zone and it is therefore considered the development will not contribute to a population density that exceeds the capacity of local and regional transport facilities.

Having regard to the above assessment, it is concluded that the proposed development is consistent with the relevant outcomes of the P21DCP and the objectives specified in s1.3 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979. Accordingly, this assessment finds that the proposal is supported, in this particular circumstance.

C4.7 Subdivision - Amenity and Design

With reference to the controls as specified under this clause, it is considered that proposed subdivision design maintains sufficient private open space, vegetation, services and amenity to proposed Lot 1 while achieving the creation of an additional allotment (Lot 2) which is minimally constrained and provides sufficient area for services and a compliant minimum building footprint of 175m² as outlined under Clause B2.2 of the P21DCP.

Given the relatively flat topography of proposed Lot 2 in relation to the surrounding land, it is not considered any proposed future dwelling would adversely impact upon view sharing or privacy in this circumstance, nor would it result in unreasonable visual bulk and scale provided that built form controls are generally achieved. While a future dwelling would likely result in some extent of overshadowing to proposed Lot 1 and adjoining Lots to the south, east and west, it is not considered the extent would be adverse or unreasonable when considering the site's context and the requirements of Clause C1.4 of the P21DCP.

While proposed Lot 2 does not satisfy the required Lot dimensions as outlined under Part B2.2, as the Lot area measuring 832m² well exceeds the minimum required Lot size of 700m², it is considered that sufficient area is provided for a future dwelling to achieve setbacks in relation to the proposed new boundaries which would satisfy the controls and / or outcomes of the relevant clause. This is however,



subject to a separate development application where the design of any proposed future dwelling would need to sensitively consider the desired future character of the locality, the amenity of the subject site and adjoining and surrounding development.

THREATENED SPECIES, POPULATIONS OR ECOLOGICAL COMMUNITIES

The proposal will not significantly affect threatened species, populations or ecological communities, or their habitats.

CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

The proposal is consistent with the principles of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design.

POLICY CONTROLS

Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019

As the estimated cost of works is less than \$100,001.00 the policy is not applicable to the assessment of this application.

CONCLUSION

The site has been inspected and the application assessed having regard to all documentation submitted by the applicant and the provisions of:

- Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979;
- Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000;
- All relevant and draft Environmental Planning Instruments;
- Pittwater Local Environment Plan;
- Pittwater Development Control Plan; and
- Codes and Policies of Council.

This assessment has taken into consideration the submitted plans, Statement of Environmental Effects, all other documentation supporting the application and public submissions, and does not result in any unreasonable impacts on surrounding, adjoining, adjacent and nearby properties subject to the conditions contained within the recommendation.

In consideration of the proposal and the merit consideration of the development, the proposal is considered to be:

- Consistent with the objectives of the DCP
- Consistent with the zone objectives of the LEP
- Consistent with the aims of the LEP
- Consistent with the objectives of the relevant EPIs
- Consistent with the objects of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

It is considered that the proposed development satisfies the appropriate controls and that all processes and assessments have been satisfactorily addressed.

RECOMMENDATION



THAT Council as the consent authority grant Development Consent to DA2020/1303 for Subdivision of one lot into two lots including construction of an internal driveway on land at Lot A DP 443867, 50 Bardo Road, NEWPORT, subject to the conditions printed below:

DEVELOPMENT CONSENT OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS

1. Approved Plans and Supporting Documentation

The development must be carried out in compliance (except as amended by any other condition of consent) with the following:

a) Approved Plans

Architectural Plans - Endorsed with Council's stamp			
Drawing No.	Dated	Prepared By	
DA.01, Revision B, Site Plan	25 August 2020	Lovett Designs	
DA.02, Revision B, Detailed Driveway Section AA	25 August 2020	Lovett Designs	
DA.03, Issue B, Erosion & Sediment Control Fencing	25 August 2020	Lovett Designs	
DA.04, Issue B, Waste Management Plan	25 August 2020	Lovett Designs	
1620B, Plan of Subdivision	15 June 2020	Adam Clerke Surveyors Pty Ltd	

Reports / Documentation – All recommendations and requirements contained within:

Report No. / Page No. / Section No.	Dated	Prepared By
Arborist Report	,	Jack Williams - Urban Arbor Pty Ltd

b) Any plans and / or documentation submitted to satisfy the Conditions of this consent.

c) The development is to be undertaken generally in accordance with the following:

Waste Management Plan		
Drawing No/Title.	Dated	Prepared By
DA.04, Issue B, Waste Management Plan	25 August 2020	Lovett Designs
Waste Management Plan	3 October 2020	Karin Harrison

In the event of any inconsistency between conditions of this consent and the drawings/documents referred to above, the conditions of this consent will prevail.

Reason: To ensure the work is carried out in accordance with the determination of Council and approved plans.



2. Compliance with Other Department, Authority or Service Requirements

The development must be carried out in compliance with all recommendations and requirements, excluding general advice, within the following:

Other Department, Authority or Service	EDMS Reference	Dated
Ausgrid	Response Ausgrid Referral	26 November 2020

(NOTE: For a copy of the above referenced document/s, please see Application Tracking on Council's website <u>www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au</u>)

Reason: To ensure the work is carried out in accordance with the determination and the statutory requirements of other departments, authorities or bodies.

3. **Prescribed Conditions**

- (a) All building works must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Building Code of Australia (BCA).
- (b) BASIX affected development must comply with the schedule of BASIX commitments specified within the submitted BASIX Certificate (demonstrated compliance upon plans/specifications is required prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate);
- (c) A sign must be erected in a prominent position on any site on which building work, subdivision work or demolition work is being carried out:
 - (i) showing the name, address and telephone number of the Principal Certifying Authority for the work, and
 - (ii) showing the name of the principal contractor (if any) for any building work and a telephone number on which that person may be contacted outside working hours, and
 - (iii) stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited.

Any such sign is to be maintained while the building work, subdivision work or demolition work is being carried out, but must be removed when the work has been completed.

- (d) Residential building work within the meaning of the Home Building Act 1989 must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council) has given the Council written notice of the following information:
 - (i) in the case of work for which a principal contractor is required to be appointed:
 - A. the name and licence number of the principal contractor, and
 - B. the name of the insurer by which the work is insured under Part 6 of that Act,
 - (ii) in the case of work to be done by an owner-builder:
 - A. the name of the owner-builder, and
 - B. if the owner-builder is required to hold an owner-builder permit under that Act, the number of the owner-builder permit.

If arrangements for doing the residential building work are changed while the work is in progress so that the information notified under becomes out of date, further work must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council) has given the Council written notice of the updated information.



- (e) Development that involves an excavation that extends below the level of the base of the footings of a building on adjoining land, the person having the benefit of the development consent must, at the person's own expense:
 - (i) protect and support the adjoining premises from possible damage from the excavation, and
 - (ii) where necessary, underpin the adjoining premises to prevent any such damage.
 - (iii) must, at least 7 days before excavating below the level of the base of the footings of a building on an adjoining allotment of land, give notice of intention to do so to the owner of the adjoining allotment of land and furnish particulars of the excavation to the owner of the building being erected or demolished.
 - (iv) the owner of the adjoining allotment of land is not liable for any part of the cost of work carried out for the purposes of this clause, whether carried out on the allotment of land being excavated or on the adjoining allotment of land.

In this clause, allotment of land includes a public road and any other public place.

Reason: Legislative requirement.

4. General Requirements

 (a) Unless authorised by Council: Building construction and delivery of material hours are restricted to:

- 7.00 am to 5.00 pm inclusive Monday to Friday,
- 8.00 am to 1.00 pm inclusive on Saturday,
- No work on Sundays and Public Holidays.

Demolition and excavation works are restricted to:

• 8.00 am to 5.00 pm Monday to Friday only.

(Excavation work includes the use of any excavation machinery and the use of jackhammers, rock breakers, excavators, loaders and the like, regardless of whether the activities disturb or alter the natural state of the existing ground stratum or are breaking up/removing materials from the site).

- (b) Should any asbestos be uncovered on site, its demolition and removal must be carried out in accordance with WorkCover requirements and the relevant Australian Standards.
- (c) At all times after the submission the Notice of Commencement to Council, a copy of the Development Consent and Construction Certificate is to remain onsite at all times until the issue of a final Occupation Certificate. The consent shall be available for perusal of any Authorised Officer.
- (d) Where demolition works have been completed and new construction works have not commenced within 4 weeks of the completion of the demolition works that area affected by the demolition works shall be fully stabilised and the site must be maintained in a safe and clean state until such time as new construction works commence.
- (e) Onsite toilet facilities (being either connected to the sewer or an accredited sewer management facility) for workers are to be provided for construction sites at a rate of 1 per 20 persons.



- (f) Prior to the release of the Construction Certificate, payment of the Long Service Levy is required. This payment can be made at Council or to the Long Services Payments Corporation. Payment is not required where the value of the works is less than \$25,000. The Long Service Levy is calculated on 0.35% of the building and construction work. The levy rate and level in which it applies is subject to legislative change. The applicable fee at the time of payment of the Long Service Levy will apply.
- (g) The applicant shall bear the cost of all works associated with the development that occurs on Council's property.
- (h) No skip bins, building materials, demolition or excavation waste of any nature, and no hoist, plant or machinery (crane, concrete pump or lift) shall be placed on Council's footpaths, roadways, parks or grass verges without Council Approval.
- (i) Demolition materials and builders' wastes are to be removed to approved waste/recycling centres.
- (j) No trees or native shrubs or understorey vegetation on public property (footpaths, roads, reserves, etc.) or on the land to be developed shall be removed or damaged during construction unless specifically approved in this consent including for the erection of any fences, hoardings or other temporary works.
- (k) Prior to the commencement of any development onsite for:
 - i) Building/s that are to be erected
 - ii) Building/s that are situated in the immediate vicinity of a public place and is dangerous to persons or property on or in the public place
 - iii) Building/s that are to be demolished
 - iv) For any work/s that is to be carried out
 - v) For any work/s that is to be demolished

The person responsible for the development site is to erect or install on or around the development area such temporary structures or appliances (wholly within the development site) as are necessary to protect persons or property and to prevent unauthorised access to the site in order for the land or premises to be maintained in a safe or healthy condition. Upon completion of the development, such temporary structures or appliances are to be removed within 7 days.

- (I) A "Road Opening Permit" must be obtained from Council, and all appropriate charges paid, prior to commencement of any work on Council property. The owner/applicant shall be responsible for all public utilities and services in the area of the work, shall notify all relevant Authorities, and bear all costs associated with any repairs and/or adjustments as those Authorities may deem necessary.
- (m) The works must comply with the relevant Ausgrid Network Standards and SafeWork NSW Codes of Practice.
- (n) Requirements for new swimming pools/spas or existing swimming pools/spas affected by building works.
 - (1) Child resistant fencing is to be provided to any swimming pool or lockable cover to any spa containing water and is to be consistent with the following;

Relevant legislative requirements and relevant Australian Standards (including but not limited) to:

- (i) Swimming Pools Act 1992
- (ii) Swimming Pools Amendment Act 2009
- (iii) Swimming Pools Regulation 2018
- (iv) Australian Standard AS1926 Swimming Pool Safety



- (v) Australian Standard AS1926.1 Part 1: Safety barriers for swimming pools
- (vi) Australian Standard AS1926.2 Part 2: Location of safety barriers for swimming pools.
- (2) A 'KEEP WATCH' pool safety and aquatic based emergency sign, issued by Royal Life Saving is to be displayed in a prominent position within the pool/spa area.
- (3) Filter backwash waters shall be conveyed to the Sydney Water sewerage system in sewered areas or managed on-site in unsewered areas in a manner that does not cause pollution, erosion or run off, is separate from the irrigation area for any wastewater system and is separate from any onsite stormwater management system.
- (4) Swimming pools and spas must be registered with the Division of Local Government.

Reason: To ensure that works do not interfere with reasonable amenity expectations of residents and the community.

FEES / CHARGES / CONTRIBUTIONS

5. Security Bond

A bond (determined from cost of works) of \$1,500 and an inspection fee in accordance with Council's Fees and Charges paid as security are required to ensure the rectification of any damage that may occur to the Council infrastructure contained within the road reserve adjoining the site as a result of construction or the transportation of materials and equipment to and from the development site.

An inspection fee in accordance with Council adopted fees and charges (at the time of payment) is payable for each kerb inspection as determined by Council (minimum (1) one inspection).

All bonds and fees shall be deposited with Council prior to Construction Certificate or demolition work commencing, and details demonstrating payment are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

To process the inspection fee and bond payment a Bond Lodgement Form must be completed with the payments (a copy of the form is attached to this consent and alternatively a copy is located on Council's website at www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au).

Reason: To ensure adequate protection of Council's infrastructure.

CONDITIONS TO BE SATISFIED PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE SUBDIVISION WORKS CERTIFICATE

8. Subdivision Works Certificate

A Subdivision Works Certificate is to be approved by Certifying Authority for the provision of engineering works.

Engineering plans for the subdivision works within this development consent are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval under Section 6.13 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.



Civil Engineering plans for the subdivision works are to be designed in accordance with the Council's specification for engineering works – AUS-SPEC #1. The plans shall be prepared by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer, who has membership to Engineers Australia, National Engineers Register (NER) and registered in the General Area of Practice for civil engineering. The design must include the following information:

- 1. Construction for a 3.0 metres wide concrete driveway with 2 % cross fall designed by a Civil Engineer. The stormwater runoff from the paved area are to be collected and connected to the proposed inter allotment drainage system.
- 2. The driveway must be located to ensure a car can parking space can be accomodated between the two driveway and vehicular crossing.
- 3. No eves, gutters or overhangs structures are to remain within the 3.0 metres driveway. All structures that are located within the 3.0 metres shall be removed and are to comply with BCA requirements.
- 4. Provision for an on site detention basin (OSD) for the rear vacant lot . The OSD shall be located within the proposed driveway.
- 5. The driveway must be designed in accordance with AS 2890.1.
- 6. Formation for a vehicular standing areas for vacant lot is to be provided.
- 7. All pits located within the inter-allotment drainage system is recommended to be cast insitu.
- 8. Underground public utility services (such electricity, water telecom, gas etc.) are to be provided and contained within appropriately created easement.

The Subdivision Works Certificate must be supported by engineering plans, calculations, specification or any certification relied upon.

Reason: To ensure engineering works are constructed in accordance with relevant standards and Council's specifications.

9. Utilities Services

Prior to the issue of the Subdivision Works Certificate, the Applicant is to obtain the following:

(a) A letter from the utility provider confirming that satisfactory arrangements have been made for the approved development have been made; and

(b) Evidence that notification has been received from a utility authority that, requirements for the development can be provided.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Works Certificate.

Reason: To ensure that services have been provided as required by this Consent.

10. Vehicle Crossings Application

The Applicant is to submit an application for driveway levels with Council in accordance with Section 138 of the Roads Act 1993. The fee associated with the assessment and approval of the application is to be in accordance with Council's Fee and Charges.

An approval is to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To facilitate suitable vehicular access to private property.

CONDITIONS TO BE SATISFIED PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE CONSTRUCTION



CERTIFICATE

6. **Boundary Identification Survey**

A boundary identification survey, prepared by a Registered Surveyor, is to be prepared in respect of the subject site.

The plans submitted for the Construction Certificate are to accurately reflect the property boundaries as shown on the boundary identification survey, with setbacks between the property boundaries and the approved works consistent with those nominated on the Approved Plans of this consent.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure all approved works are constructed within the subject site and in a manner anticipated by the development consent.

7. Compliance with Standards

The development is required to be carried out in accordance with all relevant Australian Standards.

Details demonstrating compliance with the relevant Australian Standard are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure the development is constructed in accordance with appropriate standards.

CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED PRIOR TO ANY COMMENCEMENT

11. **Project Arborist**

A Project Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture shall be engaged to provide tree protection measures in accordance with Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites. The Project Arborist is to specify and oversee all tree protection measures such as tree protection fencing, trunk and branch protection, and ground protection.

The Project Arborist is to supervise all demolition, excavation and construction works near all trees to be retained, including construction methods near the existing trees to protect tree roots, trunks, branches and canopy. Where required, manual excavation is to occur ensuring no tree root at or >25mm (\emptyset) is damaged by works, unless approved by the Project Arborist.

The Project Arborist shall be in attendance and supervise all works as nominated in the Arboricultural Impact Assessment, including:

i) section 9.2 Construction Design / Specification Requirements for Tree 1, 5, 7 and 10,

ii) section 9.2.1 Tree Sensitive Driveway/Crossover, including Image A,

- iii) section 10. Recommendations,
- iv) section 11. Tree Protection Requirements,
- v) section 12. Construction Hold Points

All tree protection measures specified must:

- a) be in place before work commences on the site, and
- b) be maintained in good condition during the construction period, and
- c) remain in place for the duration of the construction works.



The Project Arborist shall provide certification to the Certifying Authority that all recommendations listed for the protection of the existing tree(s) have been carried out satisfactorily to ensure no impact to the health of the tree(s). Photographic documentation of the condition of all trees to be retained shall be recorded, including at commencement, during the works and at completion.

Note:

i) A separate permit or development consent may be required if the branches or roots of a protected tree on the site or on an adjoining site are required to be pruned or removed.
ii) Any potential impact to trees as assessed by the Project Arborist will require redesign of any approved component to ensure existing trees upon the subject site and adjoining properties are preserved and shall be the subject of a modification application where applicable.

Reason: tree protection.

12. Tree removal within the property

This consent approves the removal of the following trees within the property (as recommended in the Arboricultural Impact Assessment):

- T2 Livistona australis, subject to replacement planting,
- T3 and T4 Livistona australis,
- T6 Glochidion ferdinandi, subject to replacement planting.

The following Exempt Species proposed for removal in the Arboricultural Impact Assessment do not require Council consent for removal:

- T8 Plumeria sp.
- T9 Schefflera actinophylla,
- T12 Archontophoenix cunninghamiana.

Reason: to enable authorised building works

Note: Any request to remove a tree approved for retention under the development application is subject to a Section 4.55 modification application, or an assessment by an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture that determines that the tree presents an imminent risk to life or property.

CONDITIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH DURING DEMOLITION AND BUILDING WORK

13. Road Reserve

The applicant shall ensure the public footways and roadways adjacent to the site are maintained in a safe condition at all times during the course of the work.

Reason: Public safety.

14. Traffic Control During Road Works

Lighting, fencing, traffic control and advanced warning signs shall be provided for the protection of the works and for the safety and convenience of the public and others in accordance with RMS Traffic Control At Work Sites Manual (http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/business-industry/partners-suppliers/documents/technical-manuals/tcws-version-4/tcwsv4i2.pdf) and to the satisfaction of the Roads Authority. Traffic movement in both directions on public roads, and vehicular access to private properties is to be maintained at all times during the works

Reason: Public Safety.



15. Vehicle Crossings

The Applicant is to construct one vehicle crossing 3.0 metres wide in accordance with Northern Beaches Council Drawing No A4-3330/ 1and the driveway levels application approval. An Authorised Vehicle Crossing Contractor shall construct the vehicle crossing and associated works within the road reserve in plain concrete. All redundant laybacks and crossings are to be restored to footpath/grass. Prior to the pouring of concrete, the vehicle crossing is to be inspected by Council and a satisfactory "Vehicle Crossing Inspection" card issued.

A copy of the vehicle crossing inspection form is to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To facilitate suitable vehicular access to private property.

16. Tree and vegetation protection

a) Existing trees and vegetation shall be retained and protected, including:

i) all trees and vegetation within the site not approved for removal,

ii) all trees and vegetation located on adjoining properties,

iii) all road reserve trees and vegetation.

b) Tree protection shall be undertaken as follows:

i) tree protection shall be in accordance with Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites, including the provision of temporary fencing to protect existing trees within 5 metres of development,

ii) existing ground levels shall be maintained within the tree protection zone of trees to be retained, unless authorised by an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture,
iii) removal of existing tree roots at or >25mm (Ø) diameter is not permitted without consultation with an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture,

iv) no excavated material, building material storage, site facilities, nor landscape materials are to be placed within the canopy dripline of trees and other vegetation required to be retained, v) structures are to bridge tree roots at or >25mm (\emptyset) diameter unless directed by an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture on site,

vi) excavation for stormwater lines and all other utility services is not permitted within the tree protection zone, without consultation with an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture including advice on root protection measures,

vii) should either or all of v), vi) and vii) occur during site establishment and construction works, an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture shall provide recommendations for tree protection measures. Details including photographic evidence of works undertaken shall be submitted by the Arborist to the Certifying Authority,

viii) any temporary access to, or location of scaffolding within the tree protection zone of a protected tree or any other tree to be retained during the construction works is to be undertaken using the protection measures specified in sections 4.5.3 and 4.5.6 of Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites,

ix) the activities listed in section 4.2 of Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites shall not occur within the tree protection zone of any tree on the lot or any tree on an adjoining site,

x) tree pruning from within the site to enable approved works shall not exceed 10% of any tree canopy, and shall be in accordance with Australian Standard 4373-2007 Pruning of Amenity Trees,

xi) the tree protection measures specified in this clause must: i) be in place before work commences on the site, and ii) be maintained in good condition during the construction period, and iii) remain in place for the duration of the construction works.

c) Tree protection shall specifically be undertaken in accordance with the recommendations in



the Arboricultural Impact Assessment prepared, as listed in the following sections:

- i) section 9. Conclusions,
- ii) section 10. Recommendations,
- iii) section 11. Tree Protection Requirements,
- iv) section 12. Construction Hold Points for Tree Protection.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that:

d) The arboricultural works listed in c) are undertaken and certified by an Arborist as complaint to the recommendations of the Arboricultural Impact Assessment.

e) The activities listed in section 4.2 of Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites, do not occur within the tree protection zone of any tree, and any temporary access to, or location of scaffolding within the tree protection zone of a protected tree, or any other tree to be retained on the site during the construction, is undertaken using the protection measures specified in sections 4.5.3 and 4.5.6 of that standard.

Note: All street trees within the road verge and trees within private property are protected under Northern Beaches Council development control plans, except where Council's written consent for removal has been obtained. The felling, lopping, topping, ringbarking, or removal of any tree (s) is prohibited.

Reason: tree and vegetation protection.

17. Dead or Injured Wildlife

If construction activity associated with this development results in injury or death of a native mammal, bird, reptile or amphibian, a registered wildlife rescue and rehabilitation organisation must be contacted for advice.

Reason: To protect native wildlife.

CONDITIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE OCCUPATION CERTIFICATE

18. Condition of retained vegetation

Prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate, a report prepared by the project arborist shall be submitted to the Certifying Authority, assessing the health and impact on all existing trees required to be retained, including the following information:

a) compliance to any Arborist recommendations for tree protection generally and during excavation works,

b) extent of damage sustained by vegetation as a result of the construction works,

c) any subsequent remedial works required to ensure the long term retention of the vegetation.

Reason: tree protection.

19. Replacement of Canopy Trees

The applicant seeks to remove seven (7) trees, including two (2) prescribed trees (Urban Arbor 2020):

- Tree 2 - Livistona australis

- Tree 6 - Glochidion ferdinandi

In order to meet the controls of clause B4.6 of the Pittwater DCP, specifically *Development shall* not result in a significant loss of canopy cover or a net loss in native canopy trees.



At least 2 locally native canopy trees (1 *Livistona australis* and 1 *Glochidion ferdinandi*) are to be planted on site to replace protected trees approved for removal. Species are to have a minimum mature height of 8.5m and be consistent with Council's Native Gardening Guide.

Tree plantings are to be retained for the life of the development and/or for their safe natural life. Trees that die or are removed must be replaced with another locally native canopy tree.

Replacement plantings are to be certified as being completed in accordance with these conditions of consent by a qualified landscape architect, and details submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to issue of any Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To establish appropriate native landscaping.

ON-GOING CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE COMPLIED WITH AT ALL TIMES

20. No Weeds Imported on to Site

No Priority or environmental weeds (as specified in the Northern Beaches Local Weed Management Plan 2019 – 2023) are to be imported on to the site prior to or during construction works.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To reduce the risk of site works contributing to spread of Priority and environmental weeds.

CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE COMPLIED WITH PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF ANY STRATA SUBDIVISION OR SUBDIVISION CERTIFICATE

21. Certification of Civil Works and Works as Executed Data on Council Land

The Applicant shall submit a suitably qualified Civil Engineer's certification that the completed works have been constructed in accordance with this consent and the approved Section 138 and/or Construction Certificate plans. Works as Executed data certified by a registered surveyor in relation to boundaries and/or relevant easements, prepared in accordance with Council's 'Guideline for preparing Works as Executed data for Council Assets' in an approved format shall be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: To ensure compliance of works with Council's specification for engineering works.

22. **Positive Covenant for On-site Stormwater Detention**

A positive covenant (under the provisions of Section 88B of the Conveyancing Act 1919) is to be created on the final plan of subdivision and accompanying 88B instrument, requiring the proprietor of the land to maintain the on-site stormwater detention structure in accordance with the standard requirements of Council. The terms of the positive covenant are to be prepared to Council's standard requirements, which are available from Northern Beaches Council. Northern Beaches Council shall be nominated as the sole authority empowered to release, vary or modify such covenant. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate

Reason: To ensure ongoing maintenance of the on-site detention system.



23. **Provision of Services for Subdivision**

The applicant is to ensure all services including water, electricity, telephone and gas are provided, located and certified by a registered surveyor on a copy of the final plan of subdivision. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: To ensure that utility services have been provided to the newly created lots.

24. Right of Carriageway

The Applicant shall create a right of carriageway (under the provisions of Section 88B of the Conveyancing Act) on the final plan of subdivision and accompanying 88B instrument, to include all vehicular access and manoeuvring areas. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: Council's subdivision standards and the statutory requirements of the Conveyancing Act 1919.

25. Restriction as to User (On-site Stormwater Detention)

The Applicant shall create a restriction as to user (under the provisions of Section 88B of the Conveyancing Act) on the final plan of subdivision and accompanying 88B instrument for the onsite stormwater detention system, restricting any alteration or additions to the system. The terms of such restriction are to be prepared to Council's standard requirements. Council shall be nominated as the party to release, vary or modify such restriction.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: To ensure no modification to the on-site stormwater detention structure without Council's approval.

26. Certification of On-site Detention System (New Subdivision)

A Certificate is to be submitted by a qualified experienced practicing Civil Engineer with corporate membership of the Institute of Engineers Australia (M.I.E), or who is eligible to become a Corporate member and has appropriate experience and competence in the related field confirming to the satisfaction of the Principal Certifying Authority that the on-site stormwater detention has been constructed in accordance with the plans nominated on the Development Consent and relevant conditions of Development Consent. The Subdivision Certificate will not be released until this certification has been submitted and the Principal Certifying Authority has confirmed that this condition has been satisfied.

Reason: To ensure the On-site Detention System has been built to the appropriate standard

27. Sydney Water Compliance Certification

The Applicant shall submit a Section 73 Compliance Certificate under the Sydney Water Act 1994 issued by Sydney Water Corporation. Application must be made through an authorised Water Servicing Co-ordinator. Please refer to the Building Developing and Plumbing section of the web site www.sydneywater.com.au http://www.sydneywater.com.au then refer to "Water Servicing Coordinator" under "Developing Your Land" or telephone 13 20 92 for assistance.

Following application a "Notice of Requirements" will advise of water and sewer infrastructure to be built and fees to be paid. Please make early contact with the coordinator, since building of water/sewer infrastructure can be time consuming and may impact on other services and building, driveway or landscape design.



Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: To ensure compliance with the statutory requirements of Sydney Water.

28. Easement for Drainage

The Applicant shall create an easement for drainage (under the provisions of Section 88B of the Conveyancing Act) on the final plan of subdivision, to accompany the Section 88B instrument to ensure all drainage infrastructure is located within the appropriate easement(s).

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: Council's Subdivision standards and statutory requirements of the Conveyancing Act 1919.

29. Easement for Services

The Applicant shall create an easement for services (under the provisions of Section 88B of the Conveyancing Act) on the final plan of subdivision, to accompany the Section 88B instrument to ensure all utility services are located within the appropriate easement(s).

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: Council's Subdivision standards and statutory requirements of the Conveyancing Act 1919.

30. Release of Subdivision Certificate

The final plan of subdivision will not be issued by Council until the development has been completed in accordance with terms and conditions of the development consent.

Reason: Council's subdivision standards and the statutory requirements of the Conveyancing Act 1919.

31. Subdivision Certificate Application

The Applicant shall submit a Subdivision Certificate Application to Council, which is to include a completed Subdivision Certificate form and checklist, a final plan of subdivision prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Conveyancing Act 1919, four copies of the final plan of subdivision and all relevant documents including electronic copies. This documentation is to be submitted to Council prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate. All plans of survey are to show connections to at least two Survey Co-ordination Permanent Marks. The fee payable is to be in accordance with Council's fees and charges.

Reason: Statutory requirement of the Conveyancing Act 1919.

32. Title Encumbrances

The Applicant shall ensure all easements, rights of carriageway, positive covenants and restrictions as to user as detailed on the plans and required by the development consent are to be created on the title naming Council as the sole authority empowered to release or modify.



Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate.

Reason: To ensure proper management of land.

In signing this report, I declare that I do not have a Conflict of Interest.

Signed

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Kelsey Wilkes, Planner

The application is determined on 04/02/2021, under the delegated authority of:

Rodney Piggott, Manager Development Assessments